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No additional fee is believed necessary for the entry of this Response since the Amendment is being filed within three months of the Action and no new claims have been added above the number for which has been previously paid. Nevertheless, in an abundance of caution, if an additional fee is necessary for the entry of this Response, the Examiner is hereby authorized to charge said fee to Deposit Account No. 50-4920 (Mossman, Kumar & Tyler PC, DPS-030810 PET-1015US).